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Re: Alltel Communications, Inc. ("Alltel"), Application for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") – Notice of Filing Docket Number 2007-151-C

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:

Charleston

Enclosed for filing please find an original and one (1) copy of Alltel's Motion Requesting Extension of Time to File Briefs.

Charlotte

By copy of this letter, I am serving all parties of record with a copy of this Alltel

ColumbiaGreensboro

Motion Requesting Extension of Time to File Briefs.

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Very truly yours,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Cathy A. Allen, hereby certify that on this 9th day of November, 2007, a copy of Alltel's Motion Requesting Extension of Time to File Briefs, was placed in the United States Mail, via first class postage prepaid to:

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BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2007-151-C

IN RE:

Application of Alltel Communications, Inc. for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in the State of South Carolina

Motion Requesting Extension of Time to File Briefs

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) for consideration of the Application of Alltel Communications, Incorporated (Alltel or the Company) for designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) in the State of South Carolina.

On November 2, 2007, the Commission held that the parties in this matter shall be given until the close of business on Friday, November 9, 2007 to submit briefs to this commission concerning the impact of the FCC ruling on Alltel's Application for designation as an ETC in South Carolina.

Alltel is in the final stages of completing a \$27.5 billion dollar merger transaction, and a majority of its attorneys and much of its staff are forced to spend their time and efforts on the massive transaction. While the ETC designation remains of critical importance to the Company, Alltel respectfully requests the parties be granted an additional 2 days within which to file briefs.

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